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Gary Jackson Organa Mineral Products, Inc. 515 West 300 North, Suite F St. George, Utah 84770

Subject: <u>Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations</u>, <u>Organa Mineral Products</u>, <u>Organa Pit Mine</u>, <u>M0550026</u>, <u>Task 1561</u>, <u>Wayne</u> County, Utah

Dear Mr. Jackson:

The Division has reviewed the referenced Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI) and has the following comments that need to be addressed before the NOI can be considered complete:

- 1. The NOI needs to include two maps.
 - (a) Location Map. One of the maps should show the general location of the mine and could be on a USGS quad map (1"=2000') similar to what you submitted. The map included with the NOI does not show the location of the mine.
 - (b) Operations Map. The second map needs to be at a scale of about 1"=200", and the map needs to show operations including access roads, drill holes, trenches, pits, shafts, cuts, and any previous disturbance for which you are not responsible.
- The discussion of the mining operations needs to include more detail. The Division understands you will be operating in the old Factory Butte Mine pit, but will you be excavating in the pit floor or into the highwall? How deep will the excavation be? How much overburden do you anticipate will need to be moved to expose the ore? This discussion should be submitted as an attachment to the NOI.
- 3. Information from the Division of Corporations indicates Dick Shumway is the secretary of Organa Minerals, and this conflicts with the information in the NOI. Luke Jackson is not listed as an officer with the Division of Corporations. Please update the information in the NOI or provide documentation that the information in the NOI is

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Please submit your response in the form of replacement pages for the NOI, including a page showing the new legal description.

The Division will await your response before determining the amount of the reclamation surety.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions about these requirements, please contact Paul Baker at 801-538-5261.

Sincerely,

for Susan M. White

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